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24729-7019673001  
(268/214)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: )  
Joseph V. Koblish, et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3739  
Serial No.: 09/975,393 ) Examiner: R. Kearney  
Filed: October 10, 2001 )  
For: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR )  
CREATING LESIONS IN ENDOCARDIAL )  
AND SURROUNDING TISSUE TO )  
ISOLATE FOCAL ARRHYTHMIA )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response (11 pages) to Office Action, mailed , August 13, 2003, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, mailed December 8, 2003, for the above-identified application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2518, Docket No. 268/214 (2024729-7019673001).

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed August 13, 2003, and the Notice of Non-Compliant  
Amendment, mailed December 8, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

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